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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Responsive to the Office Action mailed October 12, 2006, entry of the following Amendments and Remarks is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.